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Docket No.: 043888-0369

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	:	Customer Number: 53080
Yoshiyuki MURAOKA, et al.	:	Confirmation Number: 4091
Application No.: 10/532,043	:	Group Art Unit: 1745
Filed: April 21, 2005	:	Examiner: Not yet assigned
For: ALKALI STORAGE BATTERY AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME	:	

**STATUS INQUIRY**

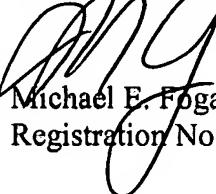
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Sir:

The above-identified application was filed on April 21, 2005. Since more than six months have elapsed since that date, and no Office Action associated with said application has been received by attorney for applicant, Applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application.

Respectfully submitted,

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